algher, McNeal, O'Malley, Abramson, Dixon, Friedman, Robinson, Rombro, Welcome, Bacharach, Cardion, Mandel, Resnick, Silver, Stark, Baumann, Baynes, Bittner, Corrigan, McGuirk, Myers, Cohill, Coss, Geiger, Huyett, Mason, McElwee, Barbee, Cook, (E. P.), Lee, Walker, Woodward, Conlon, Cook, (N. S.), Driscoll, Kelley, Reed, Walsh, Hahn, Hale, Magin, O'Farrell, Clark, Murray, Caldwell, Cannon, Hanna, White, Bray, Buckel, Savage.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

May 8, 1961.

The Honorable Perry O. Wilkinson Speaker of the House State House Annapolis, Maryland

Dear Mr. Speaker:

I have today vetoed House Bill No. 694 and, in compliance with Article II, Section 17, of the Maryland Constitution, I am returning the Bill to you, along with my veto message.

This Bill was introduced by the Washington County Delegation, and was originally designed to remove the buzzard from the list of unprotected birds in this State and to also provide that the great horned owl be placed on the list of unprotected birds in Washington County. The Bill was amended to make the great horned owl an unprotected bird in Garrett County also.

However, in drafting the amendment, a mistake was made in that the title of the Bill does not comply with the body of the Bill. The Attorney General has advised me that because of the above-mentioned mistake the Bill is unconstitutional.

With kindest personal regards and best wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

(s) J. MILLARD TAWES, Governor.

JMT/rnb

Which was read and journalized.

Vetoed by the Governor May 8, 1961

House Bill No. 694—By the Washington County Delegation:

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 112 of Article 66C of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1960 Supplement), title "Natural Resources", sub-title "Birds, Game and Inland Water Fish", sub-heading "Title and Definitions", to remove the buzzard from the list of unprotected birds in the State, and to provide that the great horned owl is an unprotected bird in Washington County AND GARRETT COUNTIES.

The Speaker put the question: Shall the bill pass notwithstanding the objections of the Executive?

AFFIRMATIVE—None

NEGATIVE

Speaker, Combs, Fowler, Boyer, Joiner, Brockmeyer, Larrimore, McNulty, Melvin, Ridout, Whitmore, Dowell, Hance, Linton, Mitchell, Boone, Culver, MacDaniel, Maguire,